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FOL RPT TEHRAN 0144 ACTION PARIS INFO SECSTATE CAIRO RIYADH  
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S E C R E T TEHRAN 0144

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FOR THE SECRETARY FROM SULLIVAN

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: XF IR SO ET

SUBJ: FOLLOW-UP ON SUBJECTS DISCUSSED BY PRES AND SHAH

1. COURT MINISTER HOVEYDA CALLED ME AFTERNOON JAN 4 AT SHAH'S  
REQUEST TO FOLLOW UP SUBJECTS DISCUSSED DURING PRESIDENTIAL  
VISIT. HE REFERRED TO SHAH'S OFFER TO VISIT CAIRO AND  
RIYADH IN FURTHERANCE OF MIDDLE EAST PEACE NEGOTITATIONS.

2. HOVEYDA ASKED ME TO INFORM YOU THAT SHAH HAD ALREADY  
CONVEYED OFFER TO VISIT CAIRO THROUGH SPECIAL EMISSARY WHOM  
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SADAT HAS SENT TO TEHRAN FOR BRIEFING ON PRESIDENT'S VISIT.  
AS SOON AS HE RECEIVES INDICATION OF SADAT'S PREFERENCE ON  
TIMING, HE WILL WORK OUT SCHEDULE WITH SAUDI ARABIANS.

3. IN VIEW OF POSSIBILITY THAT SADAT MAY OPT FOR EARLY MEETING,  
HOVEYDA ASKED ME TO REMIND YOU OF PRESIDENT' OFFER TO  
SEND SHAH MESSAGE REPORTING HIS MEETINGS WITH KHALED AND

SADAT AS WELL AS HIS SUGGESTIONS ON LINE WHICH SHAH MIGHT  
TAKE TO ENHANCE PROSPECTS FOR SUCCESS OF CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS.

4. HOVEYDA ALSO MENTIONED INTERESTS WHICH IRAN SHARES  
WITH EGYPT AND SAUDI ARABIA ON HORN OF AFRICA. HE REALIZED  
IT MIGHT BE PREMATURE FOR YOU TO HAVE ANY CONSIDERED PLAN  
TO ACTION ON ETHIOPIA-SOMALIA CEASE-FIRE EFFORT, BUT ASKED  
FOR ANY GUIDANCE YOU MIGHT FIND HELPFUL AS RESULT OF YOUR  
DISCUSSIONS IN RIYADH AND ASWAN.  
SULLIVAN

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